

SHERI EDWARDS,)
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 Plaintiff,)
 vs.) **Civil Action No. 11-00009-CG-M**
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 BASS PRO, INC.,)
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 Defendant.)

The court agrees with the parties that remand is appropriate, given that the court has no diversity jurisdiction where the amount in controversy is not met. However, the court can not grant the defendant's request to remand while retaining jurisdiction, because it is clear that the court has no jurisdiction in the matter at all, and thus has nothing to retain. The court will observe that because plaintiff, through counsel, filed an affidavit for the purpose of securing remand, she and counsel are bound by that amount in State Court.¹ See *Flowers v. Priority Healthcare*

1 This Court will assume that plaintiff, through counsel, has made a candid representation concerning the value of her case. Should plaintiff or counsel take action that renders the representation made to this Court inaccurate, they will be subject to sanctions by this Court. Counsel can rest assured that such sanctions will be both swift and substantial.

Pharmacy, Inc., 2007 WL 1424330 *1 n.1 (S.D. Ala. May 10, 2007).

Accordingly, the motion to remand is due to be, and hereby is, **GRANTED**. This action is hereby **REMANDED** to the Circuit Court of Baldwin County, Alabama.

DONE and ORDERED this 29th day of March, 2011.

/s/ Callie V. S. Granade
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE